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Application Of:

KENNETH N. WHALEY

Application No. 09/890,828

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Examiner: Thanh Lam

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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

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This paper responds to the Office Action mailed March 18, 2003, a three month extension of time being requested herein with fee included.

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REMARKS

In the Office Action, a Restriction Requirement was made based on the Examiner's finding that two separate inventions were included in the originally filed application. Specifically, the Examiner identified Group I as including claims 1-5 and 11 and Group II including claims 6-10 and 12.

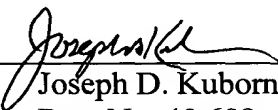
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By the present response, the applicant hereby requests prosecution of Group I, including claims 1-5 and 11. This election is being made without traverse.

Respectfully submitted,

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